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FRANK CECIL SHOT IN ST. LOUIS CAFE

Only Man Against Whom Indictment in Goebel Case Still Stands, Wounded

A special to the Evening Post from St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 24, says: Frank N. Cecil, the only man against whom stands an indictment for alleged complicity in the assassination of William Goebel, of Kentucky, ten years ago, was shot in the head and side at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon in the cafe of H. E. Leishman, 16 Collinsville avenue, East St. Louis, where he had dropped to sleep after a wakeful night in capturing Leigh Rhodus, the alleged bandit.

Cecil, who is a special agent of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, assisted two East Side detectives in the capture of the "Candy Bandit" Sunday night. He went all night without sleep. Shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon he entered Leishman's cafe to dine and fell asleep.

Attaches of the cafe spoke to Cecil, to awaken him. Cecil jumped up and pulled his revolver. Louis Leishman, brother of the restaurant keeper, grabbed a pistol and opened fire on Cecil. One bullet lodged in Cecil's head the other in his side. Ten years ago, Cecil, who was a Kentucky mountaineer, was sergeant-at-arms of the Kentucky Legislature in London, Ky.

After Goebel was assassinated Cecil was among those indicted. He probably is the only man who never discussed the affair and the only one against whom an indictment now stands.

Baseball Editor Reports Sermon

Says an exchange: Recently the baseball editor of a metropolitan paper was sent to report the sermon of a new minister as the religious editor was ill. This is the copy he turned in: "Quite a bunch was present last Sunday evening at the church owing to the presence of a new star and the box of boosters was anxious for a line on his work. Rev. — was certainly there with the goods and performed to the satisfaction of all present. Owing to the fact that this was his first appearance on the local grounds he was a little nervous in the first inning. Encouraged by the coaches in the 'Amen' corner, he let himself loose and had the game well in hand from then on. His new Jerusalem slow ball is a peach and when he turned loose on eternal punishment his speed was terrific. As this was his first work out it is too early to try to predict a future for him, but if he can keep up the gait he has started with, it's him for the big league next season."

Matrimony.

Wilt thou take her for thy "pard," for better or for worse to have or hold, to fondly guard, till hauled off in the hearse? Wilt thou let her have her way, consult her many wishes, make the fires up every day, and help her with the dishes? Wilt thou give her all the "stuff" her little purse will pack, buy her a monkey, boa and muff, a little seal skin sacque? Wilt thou comfort and support her father, mother, Aunt Jemima, Uncle John, thirteen sisters and brothers? And his face grew pale and blank; it was too late to jilt; as through the chapel floor he sank he sadly said, "I wilt."

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PRETTY WEDDING

Was That Solemnized at the Methodist Church Last Wednesday Evening

Miss Georgia Black and Mr. H. H. Owens the Contracting Parties

Seldom has it been the pleasure of many of us to witness a more beautiful and impressive wedding than was the one solemnized at the First Methodist church in this city last Wednesday evening at eight o'clock, when Mr. Hiram Owens, one of our promising attorneys, claimed at the marriage altar, the heart and hand of Miss Georgia Black, the youngest daughter of Judge and Mrs. James D. Black, of this city.

The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion with honeysuckles, cut flowers, and potted plants, the entire chancel representing a huge bank of ferns and flowers, while the soft electric lights cast a mellow light on the entire assembly.

As the beautiful strains of the wedding march, rendered by Mrs. H. C. Black, at the organ, floated through the room, the bridesmaid, Miss Grace Jolly, of Covington, entered from the front door carrying a huge bouquet of chrysanthemums, while Mr. C. B. Fritche, of Jellico, Tenn., entered from the Sunday School door and met at the altar. Revs. Brock and Harrop having taken their positions in front of the altar as the march began.

Immediately following the bridesmaid came the bride, dressed in full white Persian lawn trimmed in Valenciennes lace and flowing bridal veil, carrying a lovely bouquet of lilies of the valley. Accompanying her was the maid of honor, the bride's sister, Miss Gertrude Black, who also carried a huge bouquet of chrysanthemums.

The groom, accompanied by his best man, Mr. A. R. Evans, of Williamsburg, proceeded down the opposite aisle, where they met at the altar. The groom stepped to the side of his pretty bride, while a very impressive ceremony, that made them husband and wife, was pronounced by Rev. Walter Brock, of Lexington, after which the prayer and blessing was pronounced by Rev. F. W. Harrop.

The procession then led by the happy young couple, repaired to the palatial home of the bride's parents where a wedding supper was served.

After receiving the congratulations of their friends and partaking of the repast, the young couple left on the midnight train for a month's travel through the South, after which they will return and make their future home in this city, where Mr. Owens already has a lucrative law practice.

This event marks the most important milestone in their life, another home is made, a new start in life is commenced under the most favorable conditions and circumstances. We wish for them much happiness.

We rejoice that they are to remain among us to cast their leavening influence for good in our community.

The esteem in which this worthy couple is held was shown by the numerous and beautiful presents received, and not only the immense audience that witnessed the ceremony, but the entire community joins with the Advocate in wishing to them warmest congratulations.

HARVEST HOME

Service Held at First Methodist Church Last Sunday Largely attended and Enjoyed by all

The Harvest Home service held at the First Methodist church was something out of the ordinary and was highly enjoyed by the large audience present.

The church was beautifully decorated with the fruits of the land, together with cut flowers and potted ferns, made it indeed a very attractive decoration.

In the decorations were to be found the persimmons and grape fruit of Florida, the fine, large apples of the State of Washington, as well as the home Kentucky grown apples. Also there were collections of pumpkins, kershaws, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, pepper, corn, oats, and the green stalks of corn occupied a niche in each corner of the rostrum. Various kinds of potted flowers occupied positions about the rostrum and vines were entwined about the altar rail making the scene an attractive one indeed.

The sermons for the day were in keeping with the occasion. In the morning Dr. Harrop took for his subject "Seedtime" and at night his subject was "The Harvest" and he preached two splendid sermons.

The auditorium of the church was filled at both services and all seemed to enjoy the occasion.

The morning was also a rally day for the Sunday School and an attendance of 159 scholars were reported present.

The reorganization of the Sunday School was made last week and the following officers and teachers elected for the ensuing year:

Supt. H. C. Black; Assist. A. M. Decker; Treas. J. T. Beddow; Sec. Miss Ellen Clark; Organist, Mrs. H. C. Black; Assist. Mrs. Starling Perkins; Chorister, J. B. Gates.

The following teachers were appointed and confirmed: Adult Bible class, Jas. D. Black; class No. 2, W. R. Hughes; class No. 3, Mrs. P. L. Ports; class No. 4, Prof. Ports, with Prof. Ricketts assist. In the Primary department the following teachers were elected: Mrs. H. C. Black, Mrs. F. D. Sampson, Miss Cora Sevier and Mrs. C. N. Sampson.

The Sunday School was organized into a Temperance Society and also a Missionary Society with a President, Secretary and Treasurer for each Society as follows.

Temperance Society, Prof. Ricketts, Pres., John H. Young, Sec'y. and Treas. Missionary Society, T. B. Ashley, Pres., Mrs. A. M. Decker, Sec. and Treas.

The collection on the First Sunday of each month will be set aside as the Missionary Collection in the Sunday School and the same will be turned over to the Missionary Society.

Little Confesses; Gets Death Penalty.

A special from Jackson, Ky., to Lexington Leader, Oct. 20, says:

The body of Matt Crawford was taken from here on an early train this morning for burial at Athol, his old home. The Crawford neighborhood is in the lower end of Breathitt county.

About 9 o'clock to day the grand jury returned an indictment charging Charles Little with the murder. The defendant was brought into

court and given until 1 o'clock to secure his counsel. Promptly at 1 o'clock court was called to order by Judge Redwine and the selection of a jury was at once begun. The jury was selected and sworn.

The defendant then went on the witness stand and made a full confession, admitting having done the killing and told how it was done.

Short speeches were made by Col. Hogg for the defense and Senator E. E. Hogg for the State, and the case was given to the jury at one o'clock and five minutes.

The jury was out only fifteen minutes when they returned with a verdict inflicting the death penalty.

There being so many rumors that a mob was gathering, Judge Redwine made an order transferring the prisoner to Lexington for safe keeping. Sheriff T. H. Hudson and ten trusted deputies left her on the 2:20 L. & E. train for Lexington with the prisoner.

The court room was crowded to standing room with all classes of people, including women and children. The officers who are in charge of the prisoner are instructed by the court to protect the prisoner from all injury on all occasions.

The murder, arrest, indictment, confession and verdict all took place within about 36 hours.

DR. J. M. MCFARLAN

Louisville Divine, Will Preach at the Baptist Church Sunday

Rev. J. M. McFarland, of Louisville, will preach from the pulpit of the Cumberland Baptist church, this city, Sunday morning at eleven, and Sunday evening at seven. The membership is requested to come out en masse to hear the preaching. Everybody is cordially invited to come out and hear Rev. McFarland.

Life in Breathitt Uncertain.

A special from Lexington, to The Evening Post, Louisville, on Oct. 20, says:

"Since the assassination of Distiller Matt Crawford, at Jackson, early Wednesday morning, citizens there are becoming uneasy for their safety and some are planning to leave. Sam Jett, a Winchester capitalist, immediately upon hearing of the assassination, wired his agent at Jackson to dispose of all of his holdings in Breathitt county. Mr. Jett owns a distillery, general merchandise store and goat ranch near Oakdale, Breathitt county, and is interested in other enterprises there. He says he does not propose to do business and have his employees live where life is so uncertain as in Breathitt."

A Better Campaigner.

Two candidates for the same office came into a certain town one day. The one called at a house where a little girl came to the door. Said he: "Sissie, will you please bring me a glass of water?" Having brought the water, he gave her some candy and asked: "Did the man ahead of me give you candy?" "Yes, sir." Then he gave her a nickel and said: "Did he give you money?" "Yes, sir, he gave me ten cents." Then picking her up, he kissed her, and said: "Did he kiss you?" "Yes, sir, and he kissed mamma, too!"

Woodmen, Attention!

There will be a meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America at the Masonic Hall on next Tuesday night, Nov. 1, at 7 o'clock, to transact the regular business of the camp. It is earnestly requested that every member of the local camp be present. J. B. Gates, Sec'y.

CANDIDATES

For Assistant Forest Ranger Undergoing Examination

Washington, Oct. 24.—Examinations opened this morning in fourteen far Western States, and in Florida, Michigan, Minnesota and Alaska, to fill vacant positions as assistant Forest Rangers on the National Forests. The examinations are held at National Forest headquarters in all States in which National Forests are located, except in Arkansas and Oklahoma, and will last two days.

The positions pay, at entrance, a salary of \$1,000 per annum. Men who enter the National Forest work as assistant rangers are eligible for promotion to positions as rangers, and later to the position of Forest supervisor, if they are good enough. The latter position pays a salary of from \$1,600 up, and calls both for all-round executive ability and for a certain amount of practical knowledge of forestry. Rangers work under the Forest supervisors, often with a particular district in their charge, protecting the Forests against fire and trespass, handling much of the business with Forest users, estimating and sealing timber and enforcing regulations under which purchasers of timber are allowed to cut on the National Forests, building trails, supervising the work of Forest guards, and on occasion leading forces of temporary employees against forest fires too large to be handled by the regular National Forest force.

The Forest ranger must therefore first of all be an experienced and vigorous woodsman. In the words of the little pamphlet which the Department of Agriculture sends to persons making inquiry, "Invalids seeking outdoor employment need not apply." He must be sound-bodied, inured to hardships, able to ride, pack, and take care of himself and his horses in the woods and mountains, familiar with the region and local conditions where he seeks employment, and a resident of the State in which he will be appointed. Although the requirements are largely physical and practical, they include both a sufficient general education to qualify the ranger to transact National Forest business intelligently, and knowledge of land surveying, mining laws and customs, and the handling of range livestock. In the Southwest some knowledge of Spanish is often necessary.

To secure the right kind of men the examination is largely a test of practical capacity to do things. The candidate must give a demonstration of his horsemanship, ability to pack, knowledge of the use of the compass, and similar matters. Other parts of the test are written examinations. Because of the desirability of securing, in the new rangers, recruits who will prove capable of rising to the higher responsibilities laid upon Forest supervisors, the tests of educational qualifications have been strengthened. Thus the Government is obtaining picked men for the rank and file of its little army of employees who administer and promote the proper use of its nearly two hundred million acres of National Forests.

Couldn't Trust Her.

Brown was motoring through the country with a young lady friend who was very fond of wild flowers. Running along beside a country stream the young lady espied some beautiful wild blossoms and asked Brown to stop the car so she could get out and gather a bouquet. Brown stuck to the car while the young lady proceeded to the river bank. In a few minutes time a youngster waited on Mr. Brown.

"Hey," said the boy, "is that your lady friend down there on the river bank gatherin' flowers?"

"Yes, she's my friend," said Brown.

"Well," said the boy, "she's keepin' us from goin' in swimmin' an' the fellers sent me up to see if you'd take her away."

Brown was rather pleased with the odd demand and he immediately acquainted the young lady with the boy's request. Brown told the boy that he and his companions could go right ahead with their swimming and that the young lady had agreed not to look their way. The boy returned to his companions only to come back to Brown a few minutes later.

"Hey," said the boy.

"Well, my boy, what is it now?" asked Brown.

"That's all right what you said 'bout her not lookin', but the fellers say that she's no different from other women, an' they dassen't trust her."

PROGRAM.

Teachers' meeting in Dipi... Fighting Creek, Saturday Nov. 1910:—

9:00 a. m.—Opening Exercise
W. W. Evans.

Welcome Address, by G. W. Response, by...
Ideals of Discipline and Order, J. L. Hopper.

Management of the School, by W. W. Evans.

The Ideal Teacher, How would you know him? Prof. M. H. Judd.
The Value of Language, by Mary Gibson; Study and How Teach it, W. R. McWilliams.

Noon recess.
Educational Value of Reading, Jas. Carnes, Amanda Lambdin.
How Beautify your School House and Grounds, Axie Carnes, Rosa Lawson.

How Make a Model Country School? Mrs. M. H. Judd.

Educational Values—the Study of History, Jessie Mayhew.

Why Have Explanations in School, J. B. Hutchins, Alex N. Tinsley.

Essentials of Health, Laura Miracle.

What to do With the Incorrigibles, W. C. Faulkner.

How do You Spend Friday Afternoons? Olga Fortney.

How Extensive do You Use Supplementary Reading, —, —, Hilton, Alex. T. Smith.

What Changes should be Made in the New School Law? J. H. Fortney, Bertha Lane.

J. L. HOPPER, Chm.
OLGA FORTNEY, Sec.

To the Patrons of the Two Banks, and the Public in General:

We take this means of giving notice to the public that, beginning the second Saturday in November, the two banks of Barbourville will close at noon on Saturday.

Most all the better banks throughout the State have adopted this rule, and we have been asked to follow in the movement. The Banker's Association has also suggested it, and, being members of this association, we feel that we should follow their suggestion, and the example set by most all the strong banks of our State.

Very respectfully,
FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
The National Bank of Jno. A. Black:

Farm For Sale!

I wish to sell my farm, north edge of Artomus, Knox county, 4 miles from Barbourville, 75 acres, in high state of cultivation; 8 good dwelling houses, good barns and other out-buildings. Fine orchard, good water. Price \$2,500. For further particulars come and see me, or write, W. M. RICKETT, Artomus, Ky.